

November 2017

Dear Parents/Guardians:

The Resurrection Children's Choir cordially invites any child in 2<sup>nd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> grades to sing for the 4pm Christmas Eve Mass in the Church along with the Teen Ensemble. This group is suitable for children with little-to-no musical experience, as well as children with more advanced skills. The rehearsal schedule is as follows:

**Thursday, November 30<sup>th</sup> – 6pm-7pm (Church)**

**Thursday, December 7<sup>th</sup> – 6pm-7pm (Church)**

**Thursday, December 14<sup>th</sup> – 6pm-7pm (Music Room)**

**Thursday, December 21<sup>st</sup> – 6pm-7pm (Church)**

**Sunday, December 24<sup>th</sup> – 4pm Mass (Please arrive by 3:15pm to the Music Room)**

***Three out of four rehearsals will be required of each participant in order to sing on Christmas Eve.***

As the only choir for younger parishioners, the Children's Choir helps to introduce the power of sung prayer to these members. Through song, children will explore interactive and creative ways of applying their faith to everyday life in addition to ministering for Christmas Eve Mass.

**IMPORTANT:**

In the event of a snow day for the Rochester Catholic Schools, NO REHEARSAL will be held that evening. This will **not** count against your child's rehearsal attendance requirement.

Please take time to discern and pray over whether the Children's Choir may be the right fit for your child and your family's schedule this Advent Season.

**Kindly return completed forms to the Parish Office no later than Thursday, November 30<sup>th</sup>, 2017.**  
***(Current Children's Choir members do not need to submit a new form.)***

If at any time you have questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

I look forward to singing, praying, and ministering with your children!

Peace,

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